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PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

A three (3) month extension of time, to and including February 22, 2008, is requested for response to the Patent Office Communication of August 22, 2007.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$1,050.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) to Deposit Account No. 50/2762 (Ref. No. A2038-7052US).

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